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## Groceries.

## We Want...

### YOUR TRADE.

Let us figure with you on your haying bill. Largest and most complete stock of GROCERIES in Northwestern Nebraska. Actually the Lowest price and best Quality. Your trade solicited. Fresh baked goods always on hand. Yours for fair dealing.

Alliance Grocery Co

Minnesota High  
Grade Fancy  
Patent Flour,

"Richelieu."

The Best Flour on  
Earth. Sold  
Only by...

LEE ACHESON.

September 8—Only stamp photos, at Mark's studio.

September 8—Circus day, and stamp photos at Mark's studio.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mitchell visited Lincoln the first of the week.

Eight well furnished rooms over Tillotson's drug store to rent.—W. G. SIMONSON.

Among those from Hemingford who were in the city, Thursday, drawn hither to attend the funeral of their old-time friend, Frank Martin, we noticed Mr. and Mrs. A. Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wildy, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Johnson, Mrs. Bushnell and daughter, Miss Mary, and W. M. Fosket and A. M. Miller.

John A. Hunzicker, for the past two months an inmate of the insane asylum at Lincoln, has been released. He reached Alliance last Sunday and has joined his family in the northwestern part of the county. Mr. Hunzicker appears to have been benefited by his sojourn at Lincoln, and announces his intention of going to work and endeavoring to regain his personal and financial losses.

Ringling Bros. employ over a thousand men, women and children. To feed this great company of people requires a daily average of 900 pounds of bread, 1,000 pounds of meat, 420 gallons of coffee, and everything else in proportion. These supplies, as well as 10 tons of hay, 300 bushels of oats and 25 bushels of corn for the horses, have to be secured daily in the city where the show is exhibiting.

## For All Latest Styles in

Dress Goods,  
Ladies' Dress  
Suits,  
Walking Suits,  
Skirts, Waists,  
Kimonos,  
Wrappers,  
for fall, keep  
your eye on

R. F. Hanson's.

Dr. Allen, dentist, opera house block.

Sheriff Reed made a trip to Lincoln this week.

Judge Westover will hold a special term of court next Tuesday.

H. C. Armstrong went to Valentine Wednesday on business.

General Manager Holdredge of the Burlington was in the city yesterday morning.

W. W. Norton left Saturday for Chicago to lay in a stock of fall and winter goods.

Hon. F. M. Dorrington will deliver an address at the Bayard reunion September 11.

Mesdames Hillier and W. A. Hampton and the latter's son, Orville, went to Denver Monday.

R. H. Watkins is enjoying a visit from his brother, W. D. Watkins, of Long Beach, California.

Misses Nellie and Florence Lambert gave a party last evening to a number of their little friends.

George Darling gave a dinner at his home Monday evening to a party of his young men friends.

J. D. Douglas, Newberry's tinner, left for Denver Saturday for a few week's visit with his daughter.

Wanted: Roomers and boarders at Mrs. Hull's, first door north of the school building. Phone No. 317.

H. J. Steen, landlord of the Charters, spent a few days in Denver this week attending to business matters.

F. C. Hanson departed Saturday night for Chicago, where he will purchase a fall and winter stock of goods.

George Beardsley and Miss Ida Kimball, both of Crawford, were married in this city today by County Judge Spacht.

Johnnie Elmore came in from Iowa Wednesday morning and will remain till Saturday when he will go to Nevada.

Joseph Carey returned Wednesday from Gering where he has been engaged in moving buildings for the last three weeks.

Miss Pearl Bartz came home Tuesday from Ravenna where she had stopped on her way home from the East for a short visit with friends.

Judge Chapman of Plattsmouth passed through Alliance yesterday on his way to Missoula, Mont., where his son is lying at the point of death in a hospital.

Ed Reardon met with a painful accident Tuesday by having his hand caught in a belt. Two fingers were quite badly injured but no bones were broken.

Mrs. E. C. Anderson gives a reception this afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Whipperman, of Lincoln. That it will be a delightful affair goes without saying.

The giraffe with Kingling Brothers' circus is the costliest zoological specimen in the world. So far as known it is the only one in existence. When it is gone the species will be extinct.

Yardmaster E. B. Williams sold to C. A. Newberry, of Alliance, sixty odd head of choice cattle, last week. The stock was taken to the old Newberry homestead, at Prairie Center, this county.—Ravenna News.

The Methodist Episcopal church services will continue at the opera house for three weeks. Sunday subjects for August 31: Morning at 11 o'clock, "The Children of Ephraim;" evening at 8 o'clock, "The Realm of Surprises."

The editors have received a letter from Rev. Elmo M. Kellar, pastor of the M. E. church at Newport, where he is now stationed and getting along nicely. Mr. Kellar says "We appreciate the HERALD and wish for a continuance of your merited success."

Mr. and Mrs. Al Nelson of Running-water precinct were trading with Alliance merchants Monday. Mr. Nelson has leased his ranch for one year to Elmer Roland, and himself and wife will go to Wisconsin this fall for a few months' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Taylor went to Hot Springs last Saturday to spend three or four days. Mr. Taylor has sufficiently recovered from the injuries he received at Guernsey several weeks ago that he expects to go on his run again the first of September.

The heavy rain over this section of the country, accompanied by hail in some places, damaged the hay and forage crops to quite an extent. A number of farmers report having had their fields of rye and millet beaten into the ground and the whole crops lost.

Among the interesting animals in Ringling Brothers' zoological display this year is a splendid specimen of the practically extinct giraffe, several Royal Bengal tigers, two horses, a bi-horned rhinoceros, two hippopotami, a pair of rare black tigers, and many other animals, including thirty trained elephants.

## DEATH OF FRANK MARTIN.

City and County Mourn the Loss of One of Their Best Loved Sons.

It is seldom that the HERALD is called upon to chronicle an event which it regrets more the necessity for doing than the death of Frank Martin which occurred about 4 o'clock Wednesday morning, August 27, 1902, after an illness dating back to about the middle of last July. He suffered from a form of kidney trouble and about a month ago was taken to a sanitarium at Lincoln, whence, after two weeks' treatment by which he was not benefited, he was brought home and his death had since been expected at any time.

Mr. Martin came to Box Butte county about sixteen years ago, settling on a homestead near Berea. Later he moved to Hemingford and about eight years ago came to this city where he has since resided. He has figured prominently in the politics and public affairs of this section and enjoyed the esteem and confidence of all his wide circle of friends and the warmest friendship of those who knew him intimately. He was a member of the local post of the G. A. R.—had served through the civil war with Company F, Seventy-sixth Illinois Volunteers. During the terms of Sheriffs Sweeney and Reed he had served ably as deputy. He was fifty-nine years, ten months and twenty-seven days old.

The funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock from the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Dr. Bogue, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which Mr. Martin was a member. The house was crowded with the large number of friends who came to pay a last tribute of respect to the departed. The pall bearers were all old soldiers—W. R. Akers, A. M. Miller, Al Wiker, S. P. Tuttle, W. H. Corbin and J. G. Ragan. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

Mr. Martin leaves a wife and one daughter, Mrs. W. C. Mounts, to mourn his death. The HERALD joins their host of sympathizing friends in sorrow for their grief and loss.

C. J. McPherson, an employee on Roselle Fenner's ranch about fifteen miles northeast of here, came very near losing his life Wednesday afternoon when Mr. Fenner's partially demented son Ed took half a dozen shots at him with a 44-calibre revolver. Young Fenner received an injury a few years ago and though he took treatment at a hospital for the insane he never fully recovered. He and McPherson were making hay and the latter complained of fatigue upon which his companion suggested that they go to the house.

Arrived there, Fenner got his pistol and McPherson, divining his intention, started to run. Fenner fired three wild shots but the fourth one struck McPherson on a rib and glanced off, the fifth went through his left hand and the sixth took off his left thumb. About two miles from the ranch he met the elder Fenner who took him to a neighbor's and went home. Finding things all right there he returned for McPherson and brought him to Alliance to have his wounds dressed.

Rev. and Mrs. G. C. Jeffers returned Thursday morning from their outing at Hot Springs. Both are looking and professing to feel well and say they enjoyed the rest and recreation very much indeed. And now that Mr. Jeffers is home, he learns that, far from losing his occupation in his absence, he not only yet holds it but has gained another, also—that his congregation, thinking that his ministerial and editorial duties do not afford a sufficiently wide scope for his varied talents, now fill his time, perhaps—decided that he should become a poultryman. Therefore, they erected a building, fenced in a park and stocked it with chickens—old ones and fryers—and now the good pastor has what some of his members once heard him express a wish for, which gave them the idea of making the gift.

Miss Ada Simpson gave a party Wednesday evening in honor of her three cousins, Messrs. Clarence, Claude and Orville Gillispie of Auburn, who are here visiting her. In spite of the thunder storm that threatened, quite a large number of guests were present. Games were played out on the lawn, refreshments were served about 10 o'clock and all attending report spending a most enjoyable evening.

H. L. Carpenter, manager of the Lincoln Union Stock Yards, arrived in the city today and in company with W. B. Tagg made the HERALD a pleasant call. The Lincoln yards have become popular for feeding stock in transit as the shipper feels that his stock will receive the best attention. One thousand cars of stock were fed in the yards this month against 775 in August of last year.

Marcus Frankie, the genial clothier, returned this morning from Denver and other Colorado points, whither he went a week ago, principally in search of rest and recreation, and incidentally to give attention to some mining interests which he possesses in that part of the world.

T. E. Dalley was soliciting subscriptions for D. E. Thompson's new paper, the Lincoln Daily Star, in Alliance this week.

## School commences Monday, Sept. 1st.

W. G. and A. J. Simonson were at Whitman Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ball of Lawn precinct were in the city today.

N. Fronapfel left Wednesday for Cheyenne on a brief business trip.

John King had six loads of steers on the South Omaha market Tuesday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ray Tuesday morning.

The ladies' aid of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Dr. Allen next Wednesday.

Mrs. Dr. Gage arrived yesterday morning from McCook for a visit at the Phelan home.

M. L. Moyer, proprietor of the Crawford-Alliance telephone line, was in the city Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Langan and sister of Hastings were registered at the Hila Grand yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rockey of Hemingford were in the city Tuesday and paid the HERALD a pleasant call.

J. F. Wheelan of Dorsey precinct was a pleasant caller Monday and renewed his subscription to the HERALD.

H. H. Bogue returned Saturday from his trip to New York City where he spent about three weeks selecting a stock of winter goods and visiting friends.

Those having ear, nose or throat troubles, should not fail to call on Dr. Seymour and his assistant, while here at the Charters hotel, October 9 and 10.

Dr. Seymour, eye specialist, will be accompanied on his fall trip by a noted ear, nose and throat specialist. Consultation, free. At Charters hotel, October 9 and 10.

Miss Staunford, cousin of Father Galvin, will return to her home at Cohoes, N. Y., Monday morning. This is Miss Staunford's first trip west and she has enjoyed it immensely.

Mrs. W. G. Simonson, who had been visiting at places in Colorado and Utah, returned Saturday, accompanied by her husband's sister, Mrs. J. W. McManus of Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. Rees Robbins is packing up her household goods preparatory to going to Aurora to live. Her house will be occupied by Mr. Peckenpaugh, an employee in Burlington office here.

Wm. A. Dugger and Mrs. Sarah A. Robinson, both of Cheyenne county, were united in marriage Wednesday evening at the residence of Laird Beaver in this city, Judge Spacht officiating.

Wanted—Five hundred head of cattle to winter on the McCarty place, twelve miles southeast of town. The best of care and attention guaranteed.—L. T. MONTGOMERY, Alliance, Neb.

P. S. Olson visited his son Oliver at the penitentiary Monday. Oliver has the best prison record but he is very tired of the place. Mr. Olson called Thursday and ordered the HERALD sent to Oliver.

E. S. Wildy arrived from Scottsbluff yesterday and purchased the W. E. Hall meat market of A. S. Reed, administrator. Mr. Wildy informs us that the shop will be open for business next Wednesday.

All teachers of Alliance schools are requested to be present Saturday afternoon, August 30, at 2:30 o'clock to consider matters relative to the opening of the schools next Monday.—W. H. BARTZ, Superintendent.

Percy Zimmer of Russell, Iowa, who is visiting former friends and attending to business in the vicinity of Hemingford, was in Alliance yesterday. He will buy up a car of cattle for shipment to Iowa before returning home.

Mrs. L. A. Berry left last morning for Gilman, Iowa, to visit with her parents. She will be accompanied on the return trip by her son Leo, who went to Gilman a few weeks ago, and they will stop for a short visit with relatives at Fremont en route.

Misses Martie Colburn and Edith Swan entertained at the former's home in honor of Miss Grace Wells of Sheridan, who returns home Sunday, last evening. Various games were played, refreshments served and a good time enjoyed. About forty guests were present.

Ringling Brothers' trained animal display introduces Captain Webb's juggling seals, Professor Wood's dog and pony circus, and Pearl Souder's famous herd of twenty comedy elephants. This display of trained animal features surpasses anything of the kind ever seen in this country.

The property of the Alliance Dairy association was sold at auction last Saturday. The lots and the building were bought by W. W. Norton for \$497.50, and the machinery was purchased by C. A. Newberry at \$275.00. He has since sold a portion of it to the Beatrice Creamery Co.

## HE KISSED HER.

It was in a Prominent Place and Someone Was Looking But He Did It.

Give a man plenty of gall, a good suit of clothes and a couple of silver dollars to jingle and nine times out of ten he'll get through the world lots easier than his modest, unassuming and more worthy brother. It's so in love affairs as well as everything else. As an illustration of the truth of this let us narrate an incident that occurred directly across the street from the HERALD office, Wednesday afternoon of this week. Time—4 o'clock. Parties to the affair—a couple of young bloods and an unusually pretty young lady. They were in the act of bidding each other goodbye. The young lady extended her hand to the handsomer of the two bloods, who grasped it and assayed to plant a kiss upon her ruby lips. Gracefully she avoided the catastrophe, with a merry laugh, and turned to go her way. But at this juncture young man No. 2 threw open the screen door leading up-stairs over Newberry's and gently shoved No. 1 and the fair young woman into the hall. It required but little effort. Both were willing. And once inside, a pair of masculine arms were thrown around a slender, dainty feminine waist, with a result that a sound like unto the crushing of a torpedo upon a railroad track emanated from that hall. He kissed her, that was all. But that was enough, considering the time and the place.

That Kansas woman who has been widely advertised as the youngest grandmother will have to take a back seat. Missouri contains a grandmother who is four years her junior. The Kansas grandmother is 33 years old. Mrs. James Wilkerson, of Boonslick township, Howard county, this state, is a grandmother at 29 years old, and her mother, Mrs. L. H. Kivett, was a grandmother before she was 33. As the Howard County Advertiser triumphantly exclaims "Come again, Kansas; you are easy to beat. Missouri, Howard county and Boonslick township, can beat Kansas on almost any proposition, except jack rabbits and sand." It seems highly probable that Mrs. Wilkerson is the youngest grandmother in the United States.—Kansas City Journal.

Call For Representative Convention. The electors of the People's Independent party are hereby called to meet in the city of Alliance, Nebraska, on Saturday, September 27, 1902, for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for representative of the Fifty-third district.

The various counties comprising the district are entitled to representation as follows:

Box Butte.....6 Sheridan.....7  
Dawes.....8 Sioux.....4

G. W. ERS, Chairman.

Dr. Romine Captured.

Dr. J. S. Romine, the noted swindler and embezzler, of Mitchell, Neb., who, it is estimated, secured about \$41,000 by the sale of mortgaged property, was captured at Worcester, Mass., August 22, while attempting to join his wife, whose movements were watched. He will be held there until the necessary steps can be taken to secure his return to this state. He was offered bail in the sum of \$30,000, which it appears he failed to obtain.

Republican Primary.

The republican electors of Nonpareil precinct are requested to attend the primary meeting to be held in the Nonpareil schoolhouse, Friday, September 12, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate a precinct ticket and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

E. MARIN, Committeeman.

Rev. A. C. Wunderlich came in today from Omaha and will leave in the morning for Cheyenne on a brief business trip before returning to his home at Germania, Wyoming. Rev. Wunderlich says that the Box Butte people who moved to the Big Horn basin are doing well and contented. He stated there is great excitement over oil up there and the country is booming.

Rev. Wunderlich was pastor of the German Lutheran church at Hemingford for several years.

The Alliance and Sheridan ball teams cross bats at this place next Saturday and Sunday afternoons. The Sheridan team had to be guaranteed \$90 before they would promise to play and the boys say that if the gate receipts fall below this amount these positively will be the last games played here this year. Both games will be called at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gehring, of Wichita, Kansas, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Buechsenstein from Monday till Wednesday. Mr. Gehring and Mrs. Buechsenstein are sisters. Mr. Gehring was greatly pleased with Alliance and expressed surprise at its many beautiful homes.

The HERALD is pleased to learn that W. F. Ackerman, who until just recently had been foreman of the shops at this place, has been promoted to the position of master mechanic at Havelock. Mr. Ackerman is highly spoken of both as a man and as a mechanic and his many friends rejoice with him in his good fortune.

## Family Groceries.



Try a Sack  
of the

BEST  
FLOUR  
MADE,  
CREAM  
PATENT.

\$1.15 per  
Sack.

Blackburn &  
Snedeker.



Dr. Allen, dentist, opera house.

Clothing at cost, at the Fair Store.

Old hats made as good as new by Betts, the hatter.

Sheridan coal, Canon lump, nut and Aker's coal.—W. JAMES.

Dr. Seymour, eye specialist, coming Thursday and Friday, October 9 and 10.

Miss Gail Longfellow returned yesterday from Hardy, Neb. She will teach school and hold her homestead.

Sunday at the Baptist church, G. C. Jeffers, pastor: Morning sermon, "Forgotten the Past." Evening discourse, "A Two-years' Revival." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Christian Endeavor meeting at 7:15. Ada Simpson, leader. Mid-week prayer service Thursday evening. A welcome to all services.

## Card of Thanks.

Words fail to express our gratitude toward the many kind friends who tendered assistance and assisted in any way at the bedside, death and funeral of our loved one, Mr. Frank Martin.

MRS. E. S. MARTIN,  
W. C. MOUNTS AND FAMILY,  
MRS. R. M. BUCKNER.

## Taxes Must Be Paid.

Taxes for 1902 will be due October 1, 1902, and the county commissioners have ordered that 1901 and all previous taxes be collected before that date. The law does not require that any notice be given, so if you would save costs and trouble of collection, call at this office and settle.

ALEX. MUIRHEAD, Co. Treas.

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After the Parade  
Go to....

BOGUE'S

And See His

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Of New Fall Goods,  
A Fine Line of

Waistings and  
Wool Dress  
Goods,

Just Arrived.

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